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Kit Pappas, Manager of Environmental/Engineering Services Hidden Splendor Resources, Inc. 57 West 200 South, Suite 400 Salt Lake City, Utah 84101

Subject: Determination of Completeness for Permit Renewal, Task ID #3824, Hidden Splendor

Resources, Inc., Horizon Mine, C/007/0020, Outgoing File

Dear Mr. Pappas:

The Division received your application for renewal of the Horizon Mine permit on May 12, 2011. An initial review of the submitted information indicates that the application is administratively complete. The Division will now provide notice to all appropriate agencies that an application is available for public review and comment.

Because of the strict time frames associated with public notice for a renewal application, you should immediately proceed with publication as required by R645-300-121. At the same time you should ensure that a copy of your current plan is filed with the county recorder. A copy of the Affidavit of Publication should be forwarded to the Division for insertion into the Mining and Reclamation Plan as soon as it is available.

A check of the OSM Applicant Violator System has identified some outstanding violations tied to Hidden Splendor Resources. You should make every effort to have these violations corrected prior to your date of permit renewal.

Thank you and please call me at (801) 538-5325 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Daron R. Haddock Permit Supervisor

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